

Literature Concentration
(For Students entering Fall 2009 and after)

A minimum of 36 credits, appropriately distributed, is required in English department courses. Students may not exceed the maximum of 45 credits of English department courses (not counting College Writing I & II). Thus, at least 75 credits must be earned outside of the major.

- In order to graduate, students must earn a 2.2 grade point average in their English department requirements (see bolded courses below). See reverse side for a list of required courses and electives.
- You must complete 15 credits of literature courses at the 300 level or above. These credits include required courses such as 42.423 Shakespeare I.
- Not counting required courses, such as the surveys of American and English Literature, you may not take more than two courses at the 200 level.

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| Freshman Year/Fall Semester | Cr. | Freshman Year/Spring Semester | Cr. |
| ___42.101 (Gen. Ed.) College Writing I | 3 | ___42.102 (Gen. Ed.) College Writing II | 3 |
| ___92. ___ (Gen. Ed.) Math (92.111/151 recommended) | 3 | ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) Science I w/lab | 3/4 |
| ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) SS (Social Science) | 3 | ___ ___ Beginning Language II | 3 |
| ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | 3 | ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) AH (Arts/Humanities) | 3 |
| ___59.109 First Year Seminar *** | <u>1</u> | ___ ___ Critical Methods of Lit. Inquiry OR | <u>3</u> |
| | 16 | ___42.201 Great Books of Antiquity OR | |
| | | ___42.2___ any required 200 level EngCourse | |
| | | | 15/16 |
| Sophomore Year/Fall Semester | Cr. | Sophomore Year/Spring Semester | Cr. |
| ___42.291 History of English Lit. I* | 3 | ___42.292 History of English Lit. II* | 3 |
| ___42.294 History of Amer. Lit. I* | 3 | ___42.295 History of Amer. Lit. II* | 3 |
| ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) Science II w/lab | 3/4 | ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) SS (Social Science) | 3 |
| ___ ___ Intermediate Language I | 3 | ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) AH (Arts/Humanities) | 3 |
| ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | <u>3</u> | ___ ___ Intermediate Language II | <u>3</u> |
| | 15/16 | | 15 |
| Junior Year/Fall Semester | Cr. | Junior Year/Spring Semester | Cr. |
| ___42.3___ Linguistic Requirement** | 3 | ___42..300/400 Literature Elective | 3 |
| ___42.200 Crit Methods of Lit Inquiry OR | 3 | ___42.300/400 Literature Elective | 3 |
| ___42.201 Great Books of Antiquity | 3 | ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) AH (Arts/Humanities) | 3 |
| ___42.300/400 Literature Elective | 3 | ___300/400 Free or Minor Elective | 3 |
| ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) Science III (non-lab) | 3 | ___300/400 Free or Minor Elective | <u>3</u> |
| ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | <u>3</u> | | 15 |
| Senior Year/Fall Semester | Cr. | Senior Year/Spring Semester | Cr. |
| ___42.423 Shakespeare I OR | 3 | ___42. ___ Literature or Free Elective | 3 |
| ___42.424 Shakespeare II | 3 | ___42. ___ Literature or Free Elective | 3 |
| ___42.300/400 Literature Elective | 3 | ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | 3 |
| ___ ___ (Gen. Ed.) SS (Social Science) | 3 | ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | 3 |
| ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | 3 | ___ ___ Free Elective | <u>3</u> |
| ___ ___ Free or Minor Elective | <u>3</u> | | 15 |
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Minimum Total Credits = 120

* **These literature courses may be taken in any sequence.**

** **See list of courses on reverse side.**

*** **Required of all freshmen**

Consult the *Schedule of Classes* booklet regarding all General Education (Gen. Ed.) requirements.

Courses in the General Education categories of Diversity and Ethics should be selected in conjunction with a faculty advisor.

English Department (Literature Concentration) Required Courses

Each of the following courses:

- 42.200 Critical Methods of Literary Inquiry
- 42.201 Great Books of Antiquity

- 42.291 History of English Literature I
- 42.292 History of English Literature II

- 42.294 History of American Literature I
- 42.295 History of American Literature II

Linguistic Requirement – one course:

- 42.307 History and Development of the English Language
- 42.308 Analysis of Modern English
- 42.315 Old English Language and Literature

One of the following courses:

- 42.423 Shakespeare I
- 42.424 Shakespeare II

Four literature courses at 300/400 level:

- 42.300/400
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Not counting required courses such as the surveys of American and English Literature and others listed above, you may **not** take more than **two courses** at the **200 level**.